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Response to Supplemental Requirement for Election of Species

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In response to the Supplemental Requirement for Election mailed June 26, 2004, Applicant hereby provisionally elects, with traverse, the invention of Group I for examination. This provisional election is made to comply with the Supplemental Requirement for Election in as much as Applicant understands the Supplemental Requirement for Election mailed June 26, 2004. It is Applicant's intention that the elected invention is embraced by the claims and does not limit the claims.

Applicant also hereby provisionally elects the species of the product made by the process using a valve jet in order to facilitate examination and comply with the Requirement.

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Respectfully submitted,

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